

IOWA HOUSE FAVORS HAWAII. INSANITY THE PLEA
Passes a Resolution Urging Action
Looking to Annexation. **IN O'BRIEN CASE**

**EVIDENCE ON THIS POINT
IS ALL IN**

Case Likely to Go to the Jury By 5 O'clock—George Whittaker of Milwaukee. After the Championship As a Swimmer—He Challenges Dr.

Manitowoc, Jan. 20.—[Special].—The evidence is all in today as to the insanity plea in the O'Brien murder trial. This afternoon the lawyers commenced their arguments which are expected to be brief. It is thought the case may go to the jury by five o'clock. A disagreement is confidently expected by those who have followed the progress of the trial.

After the Swimming Championship
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 20 [special].—George Whittaker, champion swimmer

of this city and champion of the world at short distances has issued a challenge to swim Dr. Neumann of University of Pennsylvania, for either a suitable prize or a cash wager. Whistaker says he will turn professional in order to get a match with Neumann.

TO PROTECT GEN. LEE.

Elaborate Precautions Taken by Our State Department.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Ever since Wednesday of last week Consul General Lee at Havana has been in direct communication with Captain Sigbee of the battleship Maine, stationed at Key West. It was arranged that mes-

The purpose is apparent. If the Spaniards should form a plot to attack

Thus, without some such arrangement as the above, the city might be looted and American citizens murdered while Capt. Sigbee waited for an order to leave Key West.

for the purpose of bringing pressure to bear on Cobb & Kaufmann of Washington, Davis county, who looked out for the interests of the coal miners last May and imported negroes from the south. Every union organization in the state is to pay in this way. This will make several thousand dollars. All laboring men and all others at Washington are to organize.

Claim Forty-Seven for Silver.
Washington, Jan. 20.—The senate continues to be stirred up over the proposed aggressive action of the free silverites in forcing a vote on the Tell-

resolution. The free silverites profess to have forty-seven votes for proposition such as is embodied in the Teller resolution. With the "sound money" Democrats there would be less than forty sure votes for opposition to free silver.

Secretary Gage Has a Cold.
Washington, Jan. 20.—Secretary Gage did not go on with his habitual

before the house committee on banking and currency Wednesday, owing to a slight cold, accompanied hoarseness. Ex-Secretary Fairchild was heard further on various currency features, the general purpose being to develop the probable effect of the new

Ruin at San Domingo.
New York, Jan. 20.—The Clyde line steamer Cherokee, which arrived from San Domingo ports brings details of the recent earthquakes which have

curred with frequency since Dec. 10. Last. Great damage has been caused throughout the whole country, and the inhabitants were driven from their homes in a panic. As far as is known there has been no loss of human life.

Birthday of General Lee.
New Orleans, Jan. 20.—Wednesday was the 92nd anniversary of the birth of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and

accordance with their custom, ev-
camp in the south of the United C-
federate Veterans and every chap-
of the Daughters of the Confedera-
observed the anniversary with
appropriate memorial exercises.

Michigan Royal Arch Masons.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 20.—
grand chapter Royal Arch Maso-
voted \$1,500 for the maintenance of a
Masonic home, decided to meet in

Favorable Report on Bryan.
Washington, Jan. 20.—The senate committee on foreign relations authorized a favorable report upon the nomination of Charles Page Bryan to minister to Brazil, and upon that of E. H. Conger, who is transferred to

A HARDY PIONEER WAS ISAAC T. SMITH

SKETCH OF WELL KNOWN
MAN'S LIFE.

Badger State Had Undergone Many Changes During His Residence In Rock County—Blackhawk War—Traveled Miles to Market—Facts About His Life.

Isaac Tidenor Smith, a well known Wisconsin pioneer, died suddenly of heart disease and old age, Wednesday evening, Jan. 12, 1898, at half past four o'clock, at the residence of his son, Scott Smith, who lives near Tiffany in the town of La Prairie, Rock county. The funeral services were held Saturday forenoon, the 15th inst., conducted by Pres. W. O. Whitford, of Milton college, assisted by Rev. J. B. Noyes, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Shopley. The sermon was preached from Psalms 90:17, "Establish thou the work of our hands upon us." It treated mainly of the permanent results of the intelligent efforts and wholesome influences exerted by the earliest settlers in the Rock river valley in Wisconsin, among whom Mr. Smith occupied a worthy position in the first formation of its different communities and in the origin of their best enterprises. Besides a few relatives, a number of old acquaintances from several towns were in attendance at the funeral, or assisted at the burial in the Otter Creek cemetery, three miles north of the village of Milton, where the body was laid to rest beside a beloved wife and two children.

Of Puritan Ancestry.

The subject of this sketch was descended from staunch English ancestors, who emigrated to New England in the seventeenth century. His great-grandfather on his father's side came to Salem, Mass., and lived among the Puritans of that place. Some of the posterity moved into Worcester county of that state, and into the southerly portion of Vermont. His parents settled, near the beginning of the present century, in the town of Ellery, Chautauque county, N. Y., near Bemus Point, on the north side of the celebrated lake in that region. Here on a farm he was born, May 30, 1817; and hence at his death he was 80 years, 7 months, and 13 days old. He was trained to habits of industry and frugality, and to the practice of strict honesty in all business transactions, and of toleration of the religious and political views of others. He enjoyed only such advantages for an education as were furnished by the district schools in the northwestern part of New York state, then a wilderness but recently occupied by settlers. Still he acquired a fondness for reading and aroused an ardent desire to visit new sections of our country and to become acquainted with their inhabitants, both aboriginal and civilized. The traits of character thus developed in his youth remained with him during life. They made him trusted and companionable subsequently among friends and even strangers, and his conversation was greatly enjoyed, as he frequently drew from his large stores of information when describing his many journeys and peculiar incidents in his varied career.

Came to Wisconsin.

He came Nov. 26, 1835, then in the nineteenth year of age, to Southeastern Wisconsin, and made a claim on a section of land near Mount Pleasant. About six miles west of the city of Racine. Here he staid during the succeeding winter, and formed an acquaintance with Henry F. James from Virginia, who had squatted the previous spring upon a claim in the vicinity. He accompanied this pioneer with the family and three others in the following May, across the country to the present site of the city of Janesville, named after the leader of the expedition. It was his duty to care for the cattle which he helped to drive on his way.

Took Up a Claim.

Soon after his arrival and a few days prior to May 25, 1836, he made a claim a short distance from Janesville, and built a cabin to hold it in his absence for a brief time on a return to Racine county. Thus he became one of the earliest pioneers of Rock county. It can be said that at his death, he was the sole male resident survivor of these heroes ever in the county. It appears that at about this time or soon afterwards, he became also the first settler in the present town of Harmony, where he made the present claim of land. In March, 1837, he took up another claim on Prairie du Lac, the land now constituting a portion of two farms lying immediately east of the village of Milton. But he and his brother Daniel F. Smith entered at that time claims on Otter Creek in the

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40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

northern part of the town of Milton. By the end of that month, they had erected cabins of log and of shakes on the roofs held in their place by heavy poles on top.

Built a Saw-Mill.

They soon built on their farms a saw-mill, which was run by water taken from the creek by means of a dam across it and a ditch leading to the mill and which was located near the spot where the army under General Atkinson encamped the second night in the town of Milton, while passing in 1832 through Wisconsin. It is interesting to note that when these settlers were without flour, they had to travel, usually with ox teams, to obtain more either at Aurora or Dayton near Ottawa, northeast of Chicago, where were the nearest mills for grinding wheat. When their breaking plows were badly worn the needed repairs could not be purchased this side of Racine. When Mr. Smith could leave his improvements here for a season he took great pleasure in making trips into western and northern parts of the state and down the Mississippi river to St. Louis.

Married Here.

In the locality where he thus settled, he continued to reside until 1863. To this place he brought Nancy A. Dejean, who was born December 2, 1822, in the town of Sheridan, Chautauque county, New York, and whom he married in Rock county, April 25, 1841. To them came nine children, three daughters and six sons. Four of these are now dead—one daughter and three sons. Of the living, one son, already stated, resides in Wisconsin, and a daughter and a son in Colorado, a daughter in Iowa, and a son in British Columbia. The wife of Mr. Smith departed this life December 23, 1859. By a subsequent marriage there was born to him another son, Arthur Morton by name, who resides at Montrose, Minn., and also was present at the funeral of his father. For about ten years prior to 1865, Mr. Smith was an honored and efficient trustee of Milton College, then operating under an academic charter, the board consisting of only seven members. During his residence in the town of Milton, he was generally the leader of a considerable circle of the inhabitants about him. They came to him for advice, and highly respected his judgment. They never doubted the sincerity of his purposes, and returned the strong, affectionate regard in which he held them.

Went to Iowa.

By 1864 he had removed to Iowa and engaged afterwards in business in the counties of Boone and Webster, particularly at Fort Dodge in the latter. In 1873 he went to live in Colorado west of the Sangre de Cristo range and in the San Luis Park that he might improve his financial affairs but changes in his family and the growing infirmities of age induced him to return to Wisconsin and make his home with his son, Scott, as already mentioned. Coming back to the state was greeting again his first love. He has contributed several excellent narratives of this primary settlement in Wisconsin to the publications of the history of Rock county and to the annual reports of the State Historical Society at Madison. With the latter he had left some valuable manuscripts describing incidents in his life, which occurred especially during our territorial days, as well as the character and achievements of some early prominent settlers. He had the full exercise of his mental powers to the very last.

Knew He Would Die

The day before his death he called upon some old acquaintances in the vicinity of his son's and greatly entertained them by accounts of interesting events which he had witnessed in the west, and by descriptions of persons whom he had met in the settlement of the county. He was aware of the fatal nature of his disease and expected to drop instantly out of existence on earth at no distant day.

No better eulogy of his character can be uttered than the one presented at his burial by an old resident of the town of Milton, who was one of his close associates in the forties and fifties at Otter Creek, and had intimately known him all the time in the past fifty years, and who feelingly said: "A good man is gone. He never had any contention with his neighbors."

WISCONSIN TOBACCO MARKET

A Growing Disposition to Start the '97 Crop.

Edgerton, Wis., Jan. 19.—There seems to be a growing disposition to start the movement of the '97 crop, though the buyers are mostly local firms that are interested in the leaf so far. Packers are disposed to handle sample lots through the warehouses in order to get a better idea of the merits of the crop. Prices at which the tobacco is selling are low, mostly not to exceed 5 cents in the bundle. The rush after the filler has reached a craze that will soon work itself out.

A few warehouses at the packing points have commenced to bundle new leaf and are employing labor. The crop is weighing out unusually heavy, some lots reaching nearly a ton to the acre. Old stock is moving slowly. McIntosh Bros. have purchased seventy-five cases from first hands, mostly of '96 leaf.

The shipments out of storage reach 470 cases from Edgerton for the week. Eight hundred cases of cigar leaf were exported from New York since last report.

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT

PRAYER meeting.
ROYAL Arch Masons.
YUBA Circle Golden Band.
JANESVILLE Shooting club.
MARRIED Folks' Dancing club.

CAN'T CLOSE MILLS WITH LOW PRICES

SASH AND DOOR COMBINE IS WORSTED.

Modern Manufacturers Cut Rates to Where They Thought Independent Firms Would Have to Quit Business But the Attempt Was a Failure.

After a desperate and unsuccessful attempt to crowd local sash and door manufacturers out of the market, Oshkosh and other northern sash and door manufacturers have decided to again raise their price and do business on a live-and-let-live basis. Several weeks ago word reached this city that dealers had decided to cut prices on all planing mill goods and that if Janesville manufacturers wanted to get trade they would have to meet these prices. Now, however, the combine have become sick of their own game and come forth and notify the trade of a return to former prices.

Andrew R. Hansen, foreman for Green & Daily, says that the northern manufacturers had things so that it was almost impossible for local mills to secure a two inch plank unless they went to Milwaukee for it and then they had to pay all sorts of prices. J. B. Green said: "They tried to crowd us little fellows out of the market, but they found out that it was a much harder job than they anticipated."

MISS ANDREWS LIKELY TO WIN

President to Appoint Her For Personal Reasons It Is Said.

President McKinley has expressed his intention of appointing Miss Andrews, sister of the editor of the National Tribune, postmistress at Evansville. There have been several candidates for the appointment, one or two of them strongly endorsed, but the president takes the matter out of Congressman Cooper's hands by announcing his intention to make the appointment a "personal" one.

An Evansville dispatch says "James Hoskins' commission expired about three months ago and he expected to be relieved at once and the numerous candidates have dwindled away to two, viz: Miss Elnora Andrews and William F. Boyd. Miss Andrews has served as deputy postmaster and was universally liked. Mr. Boyd is popular and in the last presidential campaign was one of the foremost republican workers of this city and he has the support of a large number of the political leaders. But Miss Andrews, besides her other qualifications, has a brother and that brother is a newspaper man—Byron Andrews of The National Tribune, who wrote the campaign "Life of McKinley" and was in close touch with the candidate.

It is said, with how much truth is not known, that after Mr. McKinley was elected he thanked Andrews and said, "You can have something if you wish," but Andrews with the customary modesty of newspaper men, thanked the president-elect and said: "I desire nothing for myself, but if my sister at Evansville, Wis., could have the postoffice there I would be more than satisfied."

It is further stated that subsequent thereto Congressman Cooper received a letter from the postoffice department asking if there was any good reason why Elnora Andrews should not be appointed postmistress.

SHE GAVE A PIANO RECITAL

Mrs. Clarence L. Clark's Pupils Entertain Most Delightfully.

Mrs. Clarence L. Clark's music pupils gave a charming recital at her residence, 153 Locust street, last evening, Miss Cora Anderson assisting with vocal numbers. Mrs. Clark's pupils show marked improvement as time goes on, thus demonstrating that she is a very successful teacher. The program:

The First Violet..... Francois Behr
Mabel Charlton.
Shepherd's Song..... Mrs. Crosby Adams
Margie Nicholson.
Polka-Mazurka..... Kohler
Rose Koerner.
Dance Napolitaine..... Leon Novata
Hazel Woodstock.
Pleasant Voyage..... Sartorio
Coravieve Shoemaker.
Vocal, "There, Little Girl, Don't Cry"..... Homer A. Norris
Miss Cora Anderson.
Petite Valse..... Dennee
Julia Lovejoy.
Torreador..... Royle
Genevieve Brown.
Schlummerlied..... Joseph Loew
Nelle Ramrill.
Polka-Rondo..... F. G. Rathburn
Maud Nicholson.
Queen of the Night..... Arthur Dana
Gertrude Brown.
Vocal, "Of Thee I Am Thinking"..... A. Strelezki
Miss Cora Anderson.
Princess Tanz..... Alma Lauenstein
Hannah Stearns.
Jeany Gavotte..... Carl Bohm
May Merritt.
Valse Noble..... Erik Meyer-Helmond
Georgia Sherman.
La Lisonjera..... C. Chaminade
Ada Crosssett.
Vocal, "Heart's Delight"..... W. W. Gilchrist
Miss Cora Anderson.
Poliacca Brillante..... Carl Bohm
Laura Bump.

OPEN A FLOUR AGENCY HERE

Mankato, Minn., Milling Firm to Open Janesville Branch.

W. R. Jenkins of Madison, has been in the city this week making preliminary arrangements for establishing a shipping agency in this city for the Hubbard Milling Company of Mankato, Minn. The well known milling firm have been covering this section of the country from an agency established in Madison and which they now intend to remove to this city. Mr. Jenkins will have charge and will reside here, Re.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Five hundred dances or masquerade invitations with envelopes \$3 at Gazette Job Rooms.

Best hard coal, all sizes, \$6.20. maple wood sawed \$6.25. Sawed oak wood, \$5. Anti combine. Rear post office.

Now is the time to get your old plows and farm implements in shape for spring. Heller & Newton, Park street.

BEST hard Scranton and Lehigh coal. First grade stock only, no rubbish. William Bugge, 6 Academy street.

BARGAINS in blankets, bells and robes. Also large line of best hand-made harness. W. H. Hall, Main and Court streets.

FARMERS, when in town stop at the Riverside Hotel. Good turn in connection, hay free. Best of treatment. E. Richter, Prop.

THE place to get your plants, cut flowers, floral designs and decorations is at Rentschler Bros., 214 South Main street, telephone 171-4.

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Good York denim overalls 39 cents. High cash prices hides, pelts, furs, tallow. Rags and iron goods called for on notification. Cohn Bros. 112 W. Mil. St. Spring suits and overcoats are now in. Order at once. You will get better bargains. Suits, \$11 up; overcoats, \$11 up; pants, \$3 up. T. Anderson, 122 W. Mil. St.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

PRAYER meeting night.

YUBA Circle Golden Band meets this evening.

MRS. H. W. FRICK and son are home from Freeport.

ROYAL Arch Masons will meet to-night at Masonic hall.

MISS JULIE O. WILSON entertained the History club last evening.

THE Modern Woodmen enjoyed a social at their hall last evening.

PRESIDING Elder Frank A. Pease will preach at Clinton next Sunday.

MEMBERS of the Order of the Eastern Star enjoyed a social dance last evening.

THE Married Folks Dancing club will hold a social at Concordia hall this evening.

ENVELOPES with return card \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.75 a thousand at Gazette job rooms.

THE Open Window club met with Miss Josephine Fenton on Locust street last night.

THE Janesville Shooting club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the Angliworm club's rooms.

THE supper served by the ladies of the Court Street M. E. church last evening was well patronized.

J. E. HARRIS, of Queaneton, Iowa, is in the city, being called here by the death of his uncle, Henry Harris.

REV. R. O. DENISON went to Geneva yesterday to take part in the dedication of the Congregational church.

DR. Q. O. SUTHERLAND has returned from Madison where he was attending the meeting of the State Board of Health.

THE funeral of the late John Weirick, of Shopley, was held at the M. E. church yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WHOLESALE price of Tremain preserved blackberries is today \$1.35. We sell them at 10 cents a can. Sanborn.

THIRTY yellow table peaches, 10 cents a can, three cans for 25 cents. These peaches are of the choicest. Sanborn.

OWING to the continued warm weather we will make fancy dairy butter 18 cents a pound for the next few days. Sanborn.

THE Woman's Christian Temperance union met this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. Yates, No. 166 North High street.

DR. H. SPIER has rented one of Ed Smith's flats on Dodge street and will remove his family from Minneapolis to Janesville.

A "BOB load" of young people drove to the residence of Alonzo Williams near Koshkonong last evening and had a gay time.

THE ladies of the Baptist church are making arrangements for a reception for their pastor and his wife on Wednesday, Jan. 26.

MISS LOU CARPENTER entertained the Clioaphic club last evening. Miss Fannie Ryckman was the leader and the subject was "The Lutheran Church."

LOUISE P. CROW, Osteopath.

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Our line again complete. Lively selling during the holidays and since reduced it greatly. New things in last week; excellent Belts at 25c, 50c, 75c \$1.00, &c.



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Elgin Corn, per can..... 8c
20 lbs. nice Calif. Prunes \$1.00
Nice Evaporated Apples..... 8c
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Northern Dairy Butter in 10 pound lots,..... 21c
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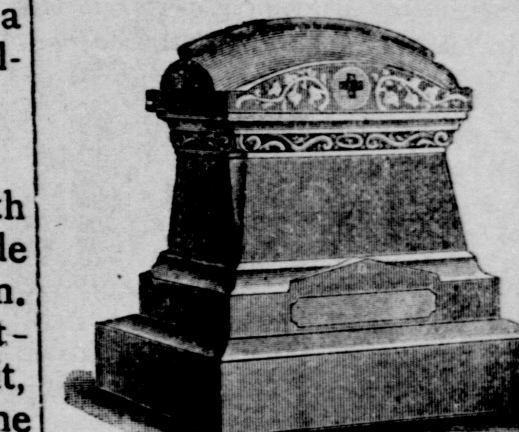


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Woman's World.

Tales of India and the life of its women are told from time to time by travelers who have learned to know it through contact with its people, but from none can one derive a clearer idea of the existing state of society than from Miss Wilhelmina L. Armstrong, a young American woman, now returned to the western world after a sojourn of seven years in the heart of Hindustan.

Miss Armstrong, as a young girl, followed her sister, a graduated physician, to India and immediately began there the life of devotion to the cause of humanity which brought her in close relation with many phases of Indian ways. She, too, is a trained medical student, and the two sisters were known throughout Hindustan as the healers, the Great Healer being the elder, and Choti Hakinia, the Little Healer, was the title of the younger.

With the deepest sympathy for the woes of the Hindoo women Miss Armstrong united a reverence for whatever noble or elevating sentiments the easterners advanced. She felt a spiritual as well as a scientific interest in the Hindoo life and thought, and the tracing in that ancient race of the workings of theology as influencing the minds and



MISS ARMSTRONG IN NATIVE DRESS.

acts of the people. She has not attempted missionary work, but has been able, through her ministrations to the bodily ailments of women, to see the needs of the mind. She declares that they wish for education and mental development rather than spiritual instruction, of which their profound philosophy gives them already more than enough, and, while believing that only through the Christian religion can intellectual development be made, Miss Armstrong does not advocate an immediate attempt to proselyte.

For years this young woman attended the families of high caste Indians in her professional capacity. Arrayed in the garments given her by one of these princesses, she tells a pathetic and thrilling story of a young Indian woman's life and home. No one who has listened to the romance of Lachman-das of Amenabad, and of Delhi, his honored princess, and Mohli, his unfortunate wife, can forget it. It throbs with the heart life and soul yearning that the Little Healer has found to be as deep and tender and pathetic in faroff India and the secluded mountain homes of an ancient people as among the latest civilizations of the west.

Into the wilderness Miss Armstrong has traveled, with no other woman among the train of donkey attendants who conducted her, on a strange errand of mercy to a suffering creature, although that creature was only one of the many animals sacred to the caste of worshippers in the forest.

Miss Armstrong has returned to New York to give a series of lectures and drawing room talks. Her mission to America is to take a course in surgery, that she may return to India and continue her practice. When she has won a surgeon's certificate, her usefulness in the practice of her profession will be extended over fields where she hopes to reach an even larger class of women in India.—New York Tribune.

Equality of Opportunity and Privilege.

"Within certain limits, set by the nature of things and not to be transgressed," said J. B. McPherson before the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs, "the women of our country should enjoy a spacious freedom. Peculiar duties are committed to their hands, and these, I doubt not, will always be discharged with faithfulness, but, laying these aside, I think most men are now willing to concede, if concession has not become superfluous, that equality of privilege and opportunity is more justice to their wives, their daughters and their kin. Henceforth the world of healthful sport, of art, of business, of literature, of social reform, of large affairs is yours as well as ours. Already some ardent spirits have interpreted this new charter with so much freedom that in certain fields they perplex the casual onlooker with their likeness even in external aspect to their ruder brethren, but this, I take it, is a transient phase, the mere eagerness of an overleaping haste which falls on the other side. Why, indeed, should there be haste? Your conquests are not ephemeral, but permanent. Unless all signs fail the day is near when every road that seems pleasant to your eye shall be open to your feet, when amid the stress and strain of modern life you may be as free to pursue your purpose, and, alas, as apt to be jostled and pushed aside by the throng, as the veriest man of us all.

"I cannot prophesy smooth things without reserve. On many a path there shall be friction and discomfort and dis-

agreeable experience, for the selfishness of business knows no sex, and equality of privilege requires the woman to forego the advantage due to mere courtesy, but in the direction toward which we look this evening there is no reason to expect any other difficulty than the nature of your present objects may present. The aspirations cherished by this body do not awaken antagonism. Social and intellectual improvement shall be gratefully received at your hands, and there is no fear that the results of this conference shall arouse jealousy in the heart of the most inveterate man."

The Learned Woman.

Only those of us who are very young have any need of historical research to assure ourselves that up to an extremely recent date there was not one person in a hundred of either sex who did not look upon a really learned woman as a monstrosity, and yet it is instructive to take an occasional glance further back and find, for instance, that when, in the sixteenth century, Françoise de Sain-tanges wished to establish girls' schools in France, she was hooted at in the streets and her father called together four doctors learned in the law to decide whether she was not possessed by the devil to think of educating women, or that Fenelon held virgin delicacy to be almost as incompatible with learning as with vice, or that Dr. Gregory, in his book "A Legacy to His Daughters," which seems to have been regarded as a standard work on female propriety at the end of the eighteenth century, utters such warnings as this: "Be cautious even in displaying your good sense. It will be thought you assume a superiority over the rest of the company. But if you have any learning keep it a profound secret, especially from the men, who generally look with a jealous and malignant eye on a woman of great parts and a cultivated understanding."

Every one knows that the two women who in our century have won most distinction by their mathematical work had to acquire the elements of the science surreptitiously and in the face of unyielding parental opposition, though both belonged to families of culture and high social standing. No one fails to see that this was getting knowledge under difficulties. But few realize the more important lesson that it teaches, for who shall say how many girls may have had mathematical powers greater than Mrs. Somerville's or Mme. Kovalevski's without possessing those other qualities which brace these two to fly in the face of what they had been steadily taught from infancy to regard as right and becoming in a woman?—Professor Fabian Franklin in North American Review.

First Police Matron.

It is nearly 15 years since Mrs. Sarah Jane Littell was appointed matron at the Harrison Street police station in Chicago, and for 14 years of the time she has ridden to and fro from the station house and police court in the patrol wagon every day in the week except Sunday. When she received the appointment, she was the first woman to hold such a position in the world, and, though Chicago now has 31 police matrons, Mrs. Littell still wears the star shaped badge of office bearing "No. 1."

Mrs. Littell's appointment was brought about by the W. C. T. U., whose attention had been called to the abuse of women prisoners not only in the station houses, but also in the police courts. The W. C. T. U. petitioned Mayor Carter H. Harrison to appoint a matron, but he declined on the ground that no respectable woman would accept the place. He consented, however, to allow them to try the experiment at their own expense.

Mrs. Littell accepted the position at a salary of \$30 a month, which was paid by Mrs. Carse, a member of the society. From the beginning she was successful with the work, and at the end of the first year she became a regular employee of the city and was given a room in the station.

Her duties require her attendance in the police court from 9 o'clock in the morning until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and she is on call until 10 o'clock at night. When court adjourns, she always drives to the jail with her charges. All the women prisoners who are brought to the six nearest station houses are then transferred to Mrs. Littell's care in the Harrison Street police station.

It is proposed to hold a celebration on the fifteenth anniversary of her appointment on March 9 next.—Chicago Correspondence.

Changes of Fifty Years.

Hon. John D. Long, secretary of the navy, writes to The Woman's Journal: "I am in receipt of your letter asking me to give you some reminiscence showing how much worse off women used to be than they are now."

"While it is very clear to me that the condition of women is very much improved, I recall no instance showing their special improvement in the matter of their legal rights."

"One of the saddest memories to me is that of the slaving toil to which women were then subjected. Mrs. Stowe somewhere gives a very interesting picture of the household drudgery which burdened her mother from morning to night, who yet was the wife of a lead-

ing clergyman who was comparatively well to do, but who, with the cares of entertainment, the management of a household and looking out for her children, toiled from morning to night with hardly any rest. Those of us who were brought up in country homes and can look back half a century recall similar pictures—the mother of the household engaged in every sort of labor, at once mistress of the house, head of the family, cook, washwoman, scrubber, a drawer of water if not a hewer of stone. It makes my heart ache to recall it. I think I can say that nowhere, even among the poorest of our poor, do I now see more grinding toil. While with the great mass of our women there has been an overwhelming improvement in this respect, I regard it as due to the mechanical inventions of modern times, the convenient and ample supply of water which everybody now has, better methods of lighting and of doing almost all the drudgery of housekeeping, and especially the increased means which, while undoubtedly there are greater inequalities of wealth, have made everybody better off in that respect than they used to be."

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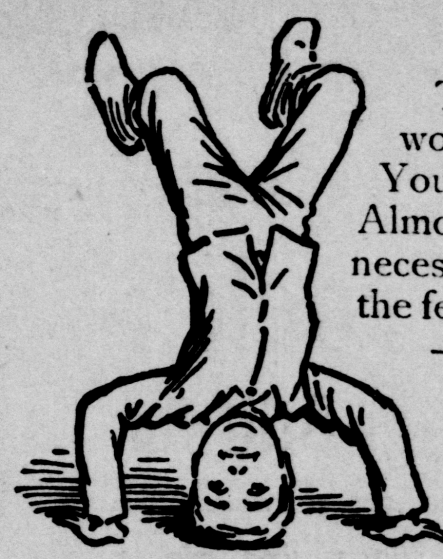
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Chgo Via Clinton	6:40 am	9:30 pm
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Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:20 pm	12:40 pm
Chgo Via Beloit, R'ford, Elgin	7:00 am	6:30 pm
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 pm	11:40 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport & Elgin	12:23 pm	6:40 am
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport & Elgin	7:30 pm	10:25 am
Watertown, Fond du Lac, Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 pm	12:15 pm
Watertown & Janesville Freight	4:00 pm	8:15 pm
Watertown, Brooklyn, Oregon	4:00 pm	7:30 am
Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona and points in Minn & Dak.	6:30 am	6:30 am
Evansville, Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona & St Paul	11:00 am	3:00 pm
Leyden, Fellows, Evansville, Brooklyn, Oregon, Madison	8:05 pm	12:05 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul & Duluth	9:30 pm	6:30 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, Winona & Dakota	12:45 am	7:10 pm
Evansville, Madison, St Paul, Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:20 am	7:20 am
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	10:40 pm	10:40 pm
Beloit, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and points north.	7:00 am	10:40 pm

*Daily *Sunday only.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For	Arrive From
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	*11:10 pm	*12:30 pm
Milwaukee, Watertown, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 am	9:30 am
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	10:30 am	5:35 pm
Edgerton, Stoughton, Madison, Lone Rock, Richland Center, Prairie du Chien, McGregor, Portage, La Crosse, Winona, St Paul, and Minneapolis	4:40 pm	7:40 pm
Iowa, Minnesota, St. Paul and Minneapolis, through sleeper and reclining chair cars via McGregor—daily except Saturday	9:20 am	9:17 am
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, daily	9:25 am	4:10 pm
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Delavan, Elkhorn and Racine	11:30 am	9:00 am
Kansas City through train	11:30 am	12:50 pm
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia.	12:35 pm	10:00 am
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:30 pm	4:10 pm
Monroe and Mineral	9:30 am	9:00 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 pm	8:00 am
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:10 pm	4:40 pm
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	8:00 am	6:10 pm
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Chicago, East, West, South and General	12:40 pm	12:40 pm
Chicago, East and all points North and West	6:00 pm	8:00 pm
	6:30 pm	7:40 pm
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SUNDAY MAILS.		
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY
1473—Birth of Copernicus, the astronomer.
1720—William Congreve, dramatist, died in London; born in 1670.
1786—James Watt, inventor of steam engine, born at Greenock, Scotland; died 1819.
1807—Robert Edward Lee, general, born in Stratford, Westmoreland county, Va.; died 1870.
1809—Edgar Allan Poe, author, born in Boston; died 1849.
1848—Isaac Disraeli, father of Lord Beaconsfield and author of "Curiosities of Literature," died; born 1766.
1888—The Hamburg-American line steamer Cimbria sunk by collision in the North sea; 333 drowned out of 420 on board. Among her passengers were many German-American tourists.
1894—Ex-Governor William Gaston of Massachusetts died in Boston; born 1820.
1896—Bernard Gilliam, noted cartoonist, died at Canajoharie, N. Y.; born 1858.

OUTING PENSIONS.
J. A. Watrous, recognized as a sturdy champion of the veteran soldier's interests, has some suggestions to offer about pension-cutting. He favors curtailment but he thinks the first step should be to reduce pensions given to rich widows. He says:

"Mrs. Garfield is worth at least a half a million of dollars and does not need a pension of any kind, much less a pension of \$5,000 a year. Mrs. Grant is rich; she needs a pension of no denomination, much less one of \$5,000 a year. Mrs. John A. Logan is rich; she does not need a pension of \$2,000 a year. There are many getting great pensions who do not need them. There is something very inconsistent in giving the widow of Bill Smith \$8 or \$12, who, in order to care for herself, is obliged to take in washing, and giving a pension of \$5,000 to a woman who is worth half a million, the most of which was contributed by the large hearted people of the United States soon after the death of General Garfield. There is no justice in giving Private Tom Roberts a pension of \$12 a month when he is so disabled from disease contracted in the army that he cannot do a stroke of work, while the government continued to give a pension of \$5,000 a year to Mrs. Grant who does not need a penny of it. While this work of bringing about reform in the pension bureau is going on let us strike and with telling blows, against the big pensions to people who do not need them. What a splendid thing it would be for these rich widows to ask that their pensions be stopped."

LET US HAVE PEACE!
William Booth, generalissimo and Ballington Booth, commander general, etc., have embraced and made up in the presence of two witnesses. It seems to need at least two witnesses to make Booth agreements binding, a fact rather unfortunate for the Salvation Army and the American Volunteers. In any event, the witnesses were on hand this time—one witness in behalf of the "General" and one in behalf of the "Commander." There can now therefore be but one "version" of the interview between father and son, and that version, duly attested by the two witnesses, has been formally promulgated. Now let us hope that the ridiculous clap-trap with which the family has been filling the newspapers of late is at an end, and that father and son will go quietly and in their several ways about the laudable business for which both the Salvation Army and the Volunteers are supposed to be organized.

NO MORE DEFICIT.
The disappearance of the deficit will be a hard blow to the papers which have been howling that the Dingley law is as bad as the Wilson act as a revenue producer, and which have been predicting that a bond sale would soon have to be resorted to. The increase in revenue which has been constantly under way from the time the Dingley law went into effect shows that the deficit's days can not be much longer in the land. Before the spring is half over surpluses are likely to be regular features of the treasury balance sheets as they were in the former republican days. In business as well as politics the country has entered on a republican era.

Cautious officials must be appointed before the first of February under the new law. Political committees have little time to lose, as a failure to comply with the law involves considerable confusion.

No republican faction in Ohio ever out so contemptible a figure as did the malcontents and plotters in the recent senatorial contest. They are just coming to a realization of this fact.

Will Be a Long Strike.
Denver, Jan. 20.—If the coal miners in the northern coal fields hold out for the increase that they demand it is probable that the strike will be long continued. The operators are even more determined than the miners, and declare that they will hold out a year if necessary.

Japan Will Act Vigorously.
Yokohama, Jan. 20.—The organ of the government reproaches Russia, Germany and France with following a selfish policy in the far east and adds: "Japan will avoid alliances, but she is prepared to act vigorously if necessary for the maintenance of peace."

Outlaws Rounded Up.
Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 20.—It is reported that Black Jack's gang of outlaws was surrounded in the mountains near the boundary line by several posses, including the posse sent out by the Mexican government, and a fight occurred in which one of the robbers was killed and four captured. Two attempted to escape after being caught and were shot in flight. The other two are in the hands of the Mexican officers, and it is claimed that they met death in a like manner.

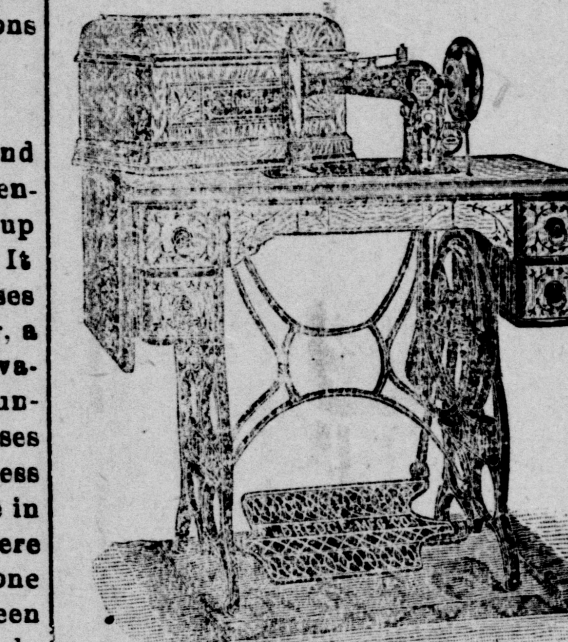
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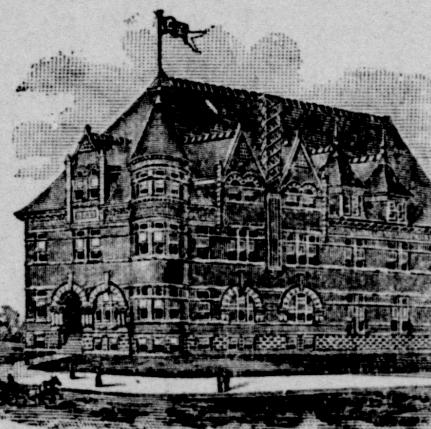
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After two attempts to poison his
wife, William Astin, of No. 7 Prospect
avenue has decamped for his former
home in England. Prior to his depart-
ure he told his wife that he would
never again show his face in America
if she would only give him money to
take him to the British Isles. Mrs.
Astin mortgaged her Prospect avenue
boarding house for \$1,500 to provide
her husband with funds and he at
once left for New York City to take
passage for Liverpool.

In the circuit court this morning
this short but exciting drama was re-
vived in the divorce action of Eliza-
beth Astin vs. William Astin. At
divorce was granted on the grounds of
cruel and inhuman treatment.

Sixteen years ago Mr. and Mrs. As-
tin were married in England, and for
the past ten years they have lived in
this city, conducting a boarding house,
corner of Bluff street and Prospect
avenue.

Several weeks ago Mrs. Astin was
taken ill and went to Dr. R. W. Edden,
who gave her medicine. After the
second or third dose Mrs. Astin was
taken violently ill and sent her medicine
to Dr. Edden for examination, fearing
a mistake had been made. It was
found that somebody had put half an
ounce of carbolic acid in the bottle.

A decoy bottle was prepared and set
where the other had been. In a few
days it was found to have been simi-
larly treated. Astin was accused of
attempted murder, but on the promise
that he would leave America and never
return he was allowed to depart with-
out arrest.

Mrs. Astin was represented in court
today by Attorney John Cunningham.
There was no appearance on the part
of the defendant.

This afternoon, the Evansville case
of Baker vs. Wilder is being heard in
the circuit court. The suit is over a
building contract and is an appealed
case from the municipal court.

In the circuit court today judgment
of foreclosure was ordered in the case
of John M. Evans vs. Christian Chris-
tianson. The interested parties are
from Green county.

NAME CAUCUS INSPECTORS

New Law Requires Their Appointment Be-
fore February 1.

Assistant Attorney General John L.
Erdall, has at the request of the re-
publican state committee given an
opinion on the new caucus law, which
has been sent out to the chairmen of
the several county committees in the
state. He holds that the law is ap-
plicable to all cities in this state as far
as general elections are concerned; that
it is not made applicable to cities of
the third or fourth class so far as mu-
nicipal elections are concerned unless
a vote is taken and a majority vote
therefore, pursuant to section 11 of
said chapter; that the law is made
applicable to villages and towns as
well as cities, in counties having a
population of 200,000 or more. At the
present time, of course, there is only
one such county, namely, Milwaukee
county.

Under this opinion it becomes neces-
sary to the holding of the general
elections in all parts of the state, that
caucus inspectors should be chosen by
the city or county committees before
Feb. 1, to serve during the ensuing
year.

LAW SUIT OVER NEW TICKET

Traveling Man Who "Got Left" Brings an
Action Against Company.

Those international mileage tickets
of the Central Passenger association,
the sale of which are daily causing
Ticket Agents Pomeroy and Samuels
end of trouble, are now figuring in a
law suit that was instituted a few days
ago in the circuit court of Columbus,
Ohio. The plaintiff is Russell Boyer,
traveling salesman for a Cleveland dry
goods firm, and he sues the Big Four
railroad for \$1,000 damages because
he was unable to secure an "ex-
change" ticket in time to board a cer-
tain train.

TO AWAIT BOARD'S ACTION

Clinton Officers Will Not Take Steps in
the Fee Matter

Justice Cronkite and Marshal
George Earle of Clinton, were in the
city this week. Both gentlemen de-
nied that their visit had anything to
do with the "tramp fees" that the
county board asked for time to con-
sider.

"We will do nothing about the mat-
ter at present," said one of the gentle-
men. "We propose to wait and see
just what step the board intends to
make."

MUCH ICE BEING HOUSED

Fifty Men Have Been at Work For the
City Ice Co.

Fifty men and several teams have
been at work this week cutting ice
near the upper railroad bridge for
the City Ice Co. The ice this year
average sixteen inches in thickness
and is of good quality.

The Correct Forms

In wedding and reception cards and
fine stationery are to be had at The
Gazette job rooms.

Prices the very lowest and the most
perfect work.

NEWS HEARD ABOUT THE CITY

WILL O. FREE in Chicago.

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.

FINE assortment of fresh fish at San-
born's.

STATEMENTS \$1 a thousand at Gazette
job rooms.

PLENTY choice bananas 10c a dozen
at Sanborn's.

ALL the bananas you want 10c a
dozen at Sanborn's.

THE choicest New York and Mis-
souri apple stock in the city at San-
born's.

HOUSEKEEPERS will be interested in
C. A. Thompson's talk on page 4 to-
night.

MISS MABEL JACKMAN entertained
the Club in a very pleasant manner
last evening.

IMPROVEMENTS that will cost about
\$500 are now being made in L. L. Leff-
lingwell's saloon.

THE Art League will meet with Mrs.
Hiram Murdoch, 158 South Main street,
tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

REGULAR 15c a pound coffee, three
pounds for 25c at the White grocery,
Milton avenue. Telephone 205-2.

ANOTHER lot of California prunes
will be here Friday, 5c a pound, nicer
and larger than any we have yet had.
Sanborn.

GEORGE HANTHORN shipped a Jersey
bull last night. This was not the
animal won by Mr. Hanthorn at a re-
cent raffle.

A CHANGE of venue to Dane county
was allowed yesterday in the case of
J. F. Willey vs the estate of Malachi
Richardson.

SEE those fancy silk lined fine ker-
sey and boucle jackets we are selling
worth \$25. We are selling them at
\$9.87. T. P. Burns.

IT is said that a celebrated female
lawyer has been retained by the plain-
tiff in the breach of promise case to be
tried here next week.

ATTEND the opening of George El-
man's candy and fruit store opposite
the post office Saturday. Prices on
goods will be given in due time.

THE Musical-Literary society will
give a concert of old-time songs and in-
strumental music Wednesday evening,
Feb. 16, at the Congregational church.

INCREASED activity in provisions. Big
money in pork speculations. \$125
buys or sells 250 barrels of pork
Stocks and wheat accounts as low as
\$50 accepted. William O. Crolius,
Broker, Room 8, Lappins Block.

HUGH CORK, district secretary for
the Northwest of the International
Sunday School Association would be
glad to meet pastors, officers and
teachers Wednesday evening, January
26, at the Y. M. C. A. hall. Mr.
Cork is an enthusiastic worker.

GEORGE ELLMAN will open his new
candy and fruit store at 15 W. Mil-
waukee street in the store formerly
occupied by the Vienna Art Studio,
opposite the postoffice on Satur-
day morning. The Vienna Art
studio occupy the rooms
on the third floor above the
store. The finest line of candies ever
shown in the city has been purchased
by Mr. Ellman and a complete stock
of foreign and domestic fruits will
form a principal part of the stock. The
patronage of the public will be heartily
appreciated and the most careful
attention will be accorded the trade.
The motto of this concern will be not
to promise what they cannot do and
not to sell what they have not. All
deliveries will be promptly attended to.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

ROBERT BEAR is now in New Mex-
ico.

J. E. DOE was here today from Mad-
ison.

FRANK L. SMITH was in Chicago yester-
day.

HAMILTON P. RICHARDSON is here
from Milwaukee.

ARCHITECT F. H. Kemp was here to-
day from Madison.

G. J. POWELL, of Milwaukee, spent
the day with local relatives.

H. A. WATSON, of Twin Bridges,
Mont., is visiting in town.

MISS RUTH SMITH, of New York, is
the guest of Miss Helen Nash.

ALDERMAN H. S. Gilkey is home
from a trip to Mountain, Wis.

GEORGE NASH, of Milwaukee, called
on Janesville relatives today.

CHARLES RANDALL is home from a
trip to Indianapolis and Chicago.

W. A. MAYHEW, the next postmaster
at Clinton, was in town today.

MR. and Mrs. P. K. Caldwell are
home from a visit in Milton Junction.

DR. B. E. POWELL went to Jefferson
today to attend the wedding of his
brother.

E. D. SIMMONS, of Milwaukee, is in
the city, called here by the death of
Henry Harris.

MR. and Mrs. John B. Merrill, of
Milwaukee are the guests of Hon.
and Mrs. Hiram Merrill.

H. H. HERSHEY, of Racine, is in the
city to look after his work as fire in-
surance inspector.

Miss Mary E. Lunn of Boston, Mass
will come to Janesville Saturday after-
noon next. She will be the guest of
Mrs. C. A. Hunt, 157 South Jackson
street.

Pinkerton Is Seriously Ill.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Matt Pinkerton,
Manager of the Pinkerton detective
agency, is seriously ill. Mr. Pinkerton
is 50 years old and one of the early set-
tlers in Chicago. He has been at the
head of the detective agency bearing
his name many years and is well
known to police authorities in all the
large cities of the Union.

MRS. HYER GIVEN A \$1,500 VERDICT

JANESVILLE LOSES IN DANE
COUNTY COURT.

New Evidence of An Important Nature
Brought Out On The Second Trial
But the First Finding Is Upheld
In the Main—The Amount Has
Been Cut \$1,000.

Another verdict for damages!
The case of Hyer vs City of Janes-
ville was decided in the Madison cir-
cuit court this afternoon.

The plaintiff was given \$1,500
damages.

In the first trial a judgment of
\$2,500 for the plaintiff was rendered.
Some of the testimony has been very
interesting.

A long ride over rough roads in a
farm wagon was one of the circum-
stances which came up for discussion.

Before the testimony for the plain-
tiff ended Annie Conway, Dr. W. H.
Judd and Dr. William Gill, of Medi-
son, were heard in Mrs. Hyer's behalf.
Dr. Judd and Dr. Gill appeared as ex-
perts and testified as to the medical
and surgical aspect of the case.

Annie Conway who is a twelve year
old girl living on South Franklin
street testified that she saw Mrs.
Hyer fall and helped her up. She saw
blood on the side of her head.

City Attorney McElroy in opening
the case for the defense called the at-
tention of the jury to his assertion
that the case was a trumped up one
and that the city was not liable. He
declared that the plaintiff had wheeled
manure, burned brush, and assisted in
other heavy farm work around her
husband's place after the accident, and
had walked four and six miles at a
time.

An important witness along this
line was Miss Nellie Goodwin, of this
city. She testified that several weeks
after Mrs. Hyer's accident she went to
a party eight miles in the country, and
saw Mrs. Hyer there, dancing vigor-
ously. Mrs. Hyer told her she had
come to the party in a lumber wagon
and had ridden several miles. The
jury had it impressed upon them very
emphatically that a woman who was
seriously ill would not be likely to
ride on the springless board seat of a
lumber wagon several miles, and then
dance all night.

MRS. B. B. ELDRIDGE INJURED

Confined to Her Bed By a Fracture of the
Thigh Bone

Mrs. B. B. Eldridge is confined to
her bed at her home in the Third ward
suffering from the effects of a serious
fall. As she was going to her bed-
room Tuesday night, her foot caught
on the threshold and she fell heavily.
Her right femur was broken just be-
low the hip joint.

Dr. Sutherland was called and as-
sisted by Dr. G. H. Fox and Dr. W. H.
Judd reduced the fracture. Before
anything could be done, however, it
was necessary to put Mrs. Eldridge
under the influence of chloroform so
intense had the pain become.

Friends and physicians are much
concerned as to the outcome. The
break is especially serious on account
of its location. Such fractures are
not uncommonly followed by perma-
nent lameness, a perfect reunion of
the bones being possible only when
the patient has unimpaired vitality
and much reserve strength.

In any event the injury will leave
Mrs. Eldridge almost helpless for two
months or more.

CALVIN WILL BE TRIED.

Examination Waived and Evidence Will
Be Heard Jan. 27.

The examination of James Calvin,
the alleged horse thief was called in
Beloit this morning and Joshua Crall
went down to testify. Calvin waived
examination and his trial was set for
January 27. District Attorney Jackson
appears for the state and J. W. Bates
for the defense.

MAY BUY RIPLEY HOUSE

Mrs. Carrie Sarasy Negotiating For De-
sirable Third Ward Property

Negotiations are pending for the
sale of Mrs. Mark Ripley's residence
and lot at the corner of Court and
Jackson streets to Mrs. Carrie Sarasy
in case the deal is closed it will not
include the adjoining lot on Court Street
which will be retained by Mrs. Ripley
and a new house built.

ALLEN POISONED BY LEAD

Janesville Plumber Compelled to Take
Treatment in Hot Springs

John Allen of the local plumbing
firm of Green & Allen, is now at Hot
Springs taking treatment for lead poi-
soning. The poison absorbed during
years of work with lead pipes has set-
tled in his joints and resulted in seri-
ous disability.

GAVE A CHARMING LUNCHEON

Mrs. George M. McKey Entertained in
Honor of Mrs. Henry McKey.

A charming luncheon was given to
a few ladies by Mrs. George M. McKey,
at her spacious Park Place home, yester-
day afternoon. The function, which
was in honor of Mrs. Henry McKey of
Chicago, was much enjoyed.

HE HELPED DEDICATE CHURCH

Rev. R. C. Denison's Address Part of the
Lake Geneva Program.

Rev. R. C. Denison of this city, de-
livered an address at the dedicatory
exercises held in the new Congrega-
tional church in Lake Geneva yester-
day.

CONCERT TROUPE MIXED UP

Didn't Know Whether They Were to Play
or Not.

Members of the Welsh Prize Singers
Concert Company spent an uneasy
hour in Janesville yesterday. They
were bound for Oregon, but when they
reached Janesville, they found that
there was more than one Oregon in
this section of the country. Manager
J. A. Brehany then pulled from his
inside pocket his route book which
plainly showed that his company were
billed to appear last night at Oregon,
Wis., but according to hotel arrange-
ments they were to show the same
night at Oregon, Ill. Numerous tele-
grams were then flashed over the
wires to Chicago and at a late hour an
answer arrived directing them to pro-
ceed to the Wisconsin town. They
caught the last train out just in time.

FISH COMMISSIONERS LEAVE

Senator Calvert Spends On His Way to
Florida Meeting.

Senator Calvert Spensley, the
Mineral Point attorney, who defended
Steve Terrill in his murder trial in
the Rock county circuit court was in
town Tuesday on his way to Florida
in company with James J. Hogan of
La Crosse. These gentlemen at the
request of Governor Scofield will repre-
sent the state fish commission at the
international fish congress at Tampa,
Fla. Governor Scofield was unable to
go. The commissioners receive nothing
from the state as its representa-
tives, but pay their own expenses.

GREEN COUNTY FAIR PLANS

Managers Hope To Draw a Crowd From
Rock County.

Frank Snook, secretary of the
Green County Agricultural society,
writes local friends that they have set
the date for the fair to be held in
Monroe on August 31 to September 3.
The management will bill Janesville
from one end to the other, in the hopes
of securing the crowd from this city
that have for several seasons past gone
to Elkhorn.

Whether or not a fair will be held
in Janesville this year is very much in
the doubt, with the chances in favor
of holding one.

BLIZZARD MADE NO TROUBLE

Trains Were On Time and All Wires Are
Working

A blizzard from Calgary set in late
last night. It did little harm, how-
ever. Trains on both the C. & N. W.
and the St. Paul roads arrived in the
city this morning on time with the
aid of snow plows. Telephone and
telegraph wires were not damaged in
the least. The snow was moist and
did not drift. Sleighing was im-
proved and local merchants made
happy.

I.O.G.T. AND W.C.T.U. DEBATE

Question In Which Society Has Accom-
plished the Most Good.

Resolved: "That the W. O. T. U.
has done more to promote the cause of
temperance than the Good Templars"
will be the subject of a debate tomor-
row evening at 7:30 o'clock at Good
Templars' hall. Mrs. Eliza E. Yates,
of this city, will be the leader for the
W. O. T. U. while W. G. Kildow will
uphold the cause of the Good Tem-
plars.

THE M'GIBENY SISTERS PLAY

Two of Them Members of the Boston La-
dies' Orchestra.

Alice and Viola McGibeny, members
of the well known McGibeny family of
musicians, who for some time toured
this western country giving concerts,
and summered at Milton, are now
members of the Boston Ladies' Sym-
phony Orchestra.

E. D. MILLER MUCH BETTER

The Former Hotel Man Writes That He Is
Much Better.

Friends of E. D. Miller, the former
Janesville landlord, were told several
weeks ago that he was dying. Let-
ters received from Chicago today, how-
ever, state that he is getting better
and will soon be about.

January Underwear

Clearance.

Ladies' heavy cotton, fleece lined
Vests and Pants, 35c; reduced to 10c.
50c quality reduced to 33c.
75c wool Vests and Pants now 59c.
\$1.00 heavy camel hair Vests and
Pants 85c.
\$1.50 extra fine natural wool Vests
and Pants now \$1.18.
\$1.50 heavy black wool Vests \$1.20.
Heavy fleece lined Combination
Suits worth 50c and \$1.00, now 39c
and 79c.
Children's heavy grey Vests and
Pants from 10c to 25c.
Fine natural Vests and Pants from
20c to 50c.
Children's black wool Tights from
50c to 98c.
Outing flannel Night Robes for
children from 2 to 16 years, at 42c,
50c, 60c.
Ladies' 75c outing flannel Night
Robes now 59c.
\$1.00 quality for 89c.
Extra size Gowns at 98c.

HELEN SERVATIUS.

EVERY DAY

This market of mine draws to it new cus-
tom. The satisfying of regular patrons the
giving of good meat—the kind that is al-
ways the same—can't help making us new,
staunch friends. We never allow a custom-
er to get away if it lies in our power to keep
them. Try us this week.

G. I. ERCANBRACK.

People's Meat Market. Next Opera House.

There are

Some Things

That are everywhere rec-
ognized as the best of
their kind. Smith's Wild
Cherry Cough Balsam is
one of those things. We
know what it will do. It
is a safe, sure and reliable
remedy for colds, coughs
and lung troubles. We
cannot afford to misrep-
resent. We would like to
have you for one of our
customers.

Price: 25 and 50c per bottle.

SMITH'S PHARMACY

Kodak Agents.

Two Registered Pharmacists.

It will pay

Any man

To order

A Suit

Now.

We offer

A liberal

Reduction

This

Month.

J. L. FORD & SON,

Tailors and Furnishers...

February

Magazines

Arriving

Daily at

The Bradley Magazine Ex-
change.

Leave Your

Orders Now

February numbers will be
delivered Monday to all
new subscribers between
now and that date. If you
do not thoroughly under-
stand how this exchange
is worked call at the Brad-
ley News Room. We
will be pleased to explain
the whole matter to you,
which will surely save
the reading public of Janes-
ville a great many dimes.

M. H. BRADLEY.

VIVE Camera

Testimonial No. 14:

"The VIVE is doing fine
work for me."

We are sole agents in Janesville
for VIVE Cameras and have
full line of photographic sup-
plies.

S. C. BURNHAM & CO
Jewelers and Music Dealers.

E. T. Fish Freight Line

Leave orders at C. D. STEVENS' Drug Store
or Residence Telephone 262, for hauling Pianos,
Safes, Bolders, House Furniture, Freight.
Promptness, and Prices reasonable.

FRENCH "OLD GUARD."



NAPOLEON'S long and terrific wars brought in to existence that magnificent body of soldiers known as the Old Guard of France. All great armies since Waterloo have contained fighting corps which strived to emulate the prowess of those far famed reserves. The history of the Old Guard, nowhere definitely given, is something like this: When General Bonaparte took the field with the civic title of first consul the body of soldiers answering to the household guards of all royal and imperial armies when led by their monarch took the name of Consular Guard. Following the old custom when he became emperor a still larger contingent gathered around him and was known as the Imperial Guard. The Old Guard was always part of the Imperial Guard of France, but when it acquired its special name it was for reasons that distinguished it as the elite corps of France.

Napoleon's wars were so destructive of French soldiers that the Imperial Guard had to be recruited, and the old battalions, jealous of the hard won laurels, did not wish to share them with novices fresh from the plow; hence a new corps called the Young Guard, and in time a second Young Guard, the first taking the name of Middle Guard.

One of Napoleon's veterans described the Old Guard in language which, though flowery, as becomes the theme, coincides with all that has been handed down regarding this unique corps. He said: "The soldiers of the Old Guard were nearly all old peasants, born before the republic, men 5 feet 6 inches in height, thin and well built, who had held the plow for convent and chateau. Afterward they were levied with all the rest of the people and went to Germany, Holland, Italy, Egypt, Poland, Spain and Russia under Kleber, Hoche and Marceau first and under Napoleon afterward. He took special care of them and paid them liberally. They regarded themselves as the proprietors of an immense farm which they must defend and enlarge more and more. This gained them consideration. They were defending their own property. They no longer knew parents, relatives and compatriots. They only knew the emperor. He was their god. And lastly they adopted the king of Rome, who was to inherit all with them and to support and honor them in their old age."

"Nothing like them was ever seen. They were so accustomed to march, to dress their lines, to load and fire and cross bayonets that it was done mechanically in a measure whenever there was necessity. When they advanced carrying arms, with their great caps, their white waistcoats and gaiters, they all looked just alike. You could plainly see that it was the right arm of the emperor which was coming. When it was said in the ranks, 'The guard is going to move,' it was as if they had said, 'The battle is gained.'"

The name of Marshal Bessieres is linked in glory with that of the Old Guard. Bessieres was the companion of Murat, the country hostler, when he set out for Paris in search of adventure in 1790. Both enlisted in the Constitutional Guard, formed to defend the household of Louis XVI. Faithful to the king until the end, Bessieres entered the republican army as captain and in Italy won the heart of Napoleon by gallantry in battle. He was given command of a picked body of the Consular Guard, which always attended Napoleon in person, and in time arose to the head of the Imperial Guard. At Wagram Bessieres had his horse killed under him and was thrown with such violence that he lay on

fast the batteries that tore their ranks asunder standing in squares around their emperor as he bivouacked in the snow, and furnishing him the last fragment of fuel that could be gathered, while they one after another dropped dead in their footsteps, they fasten themselves on our affections and stand to the remotest time as a model of fidelity and firmness."

The next year, 1813, Bessieres was shot dead while gallantly reconnoitering the position of the advance guard of the allied army on the eve of the battle of Lutzen. Different commanders thereafter led the Old Guard. In the immortal charge at Waterloo the remnant that remained to rally around the adventurer from Elba was led in the crisis of the battle by Marshal Ney, the "bravest of the brave."

The French veteran quoted above tells the story of the Old Guard in their last cast for the throne of the emperor. He says: "From all sides, over the thunder of the cannon, over all the tumult, the cry was heard, 'The guard is coming!' Yes, the guard was coming at last. We could see them in the distance, with their high bearskin caps, advancing in good order."

"Those who have never witnessed the arrival of the guard on the battlefield can never know the confidence which is inspired by a body of tried soldiers, the kind of respect paid to courage. And now after terrible massacre, after the repulse of furious attacks, on seeing the Prussians fall back on our flank we said, 'This is the decisive blow.' And we thought, 'If it fails, all is lost.' This was why we all looked at the guard as they marched steadily up."

"It was Ney who commanded them. The emperor knew that nobody could lead them like Ney; only he should have ordered them up an hour sooner. Then we should have gained all. But the emperor looked upon them as his own flesh and blood. If he had had them at Paris five days later, Lafayette and the rest would not have remained long in the chamber to depose him. This was why he waited so long before sending them in. He hoped that Ney would succeed in overwhelming the enemy with the cavalry, or that Grouchy

would turn, attracted by the sound of the cannon, and then he could send him in place of his guard to break Wellington's front; because he could always replace 30,000 or 40,000 common soldiers by conscription, but to have another such guard he must commence at 25 and gain 50 victories, and what remained of the best, most solid and the toughest would be the guard."

"It came, and we could see it. Ney and several other generals marched in front. We could see nothing but the guard—the roaring cannon, the musketry, the cries of the wounded were all forgotten. But the lull did not last long. The English perceived as well as we that this was to be the decisive blow and hastened to rally all their forces to receive it."

"The attack sounded and our cannon began to thunder. All was quiet on the hillside, the rows of English cannon were deserted, and we might have thought they were all gone only as the bearskin caps of the guard arose above the plateau five or six volleys of shot warned us that they were waiting for us. Many of our wounded retired at this moment and the guard advanced, sweeping everything before it, but it closed up more and more and diminished every moment. In 20 minutes every officer was dismounted and the guard halted before such a terrible fire of musketry that even we, 200 paces in rear, could not hear the sounds of our own guns."

"At last the whole army in front, on the right, on the left, with the cavalry on the flanks, fell upon us. The four battalions of the guard, reduced to 1,200 men, could not withstand the charge. They fell back slowly and we fell back also, defending ourselves with musket and bayonet."

"When we reached the edge of the plateau, all the plain below was enveloped in darkness and the confusion of defeat. The disbanded troops were flying, some on foot and some on horseback. A single battalion of the guard in a square near a farmhouse and three other battalions farther on, with one square at the junction of the route at Planchenois, stood as motionless as some firm structure in the midst of an inundation which sweeps away everything else." In the line of one of the squares stood Ney, firmly holding on while the British cannon plowed through his ranks. Overrun at last, the squares broke, and then it was that the brave Michel, when summoned to surrender, gave voice to the renowned motto, "The Old Guard dies, but never surrenders," and fell fighting for the honor of those elite warriors of France.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

An Alpine Adventure.



READY FOR A CHARGE. the field as one dead. Afterward Napoleon said to him: "The ball which struck you down drew tears from all my guard. Return thanks for it. It ought to be dear to you."

Bessieres led the guard in all its fiercest battles and was second to none but Murat in the brilliancy of charges in mounted battalions. The night before the battle of Borodino Napoleon sent for Bessieres and ordered him to distribute from the private imperial stores three days' rations of biscuit and rice to the members of the guard.

The historian of Napoleon and his marshals, Headley, says that during the retreat from Moscow Bessieres, "with the faithful guard, that no disaster could shake and no losses dishearten, hovered like a protecting spirit around Napoleon. Though their thousands had dwindled to hundreds, and toils that seemed endless wasted them at every step, and famine and cold and a victorious enemy thinned their ranks daily,

and the most appalling sights that ever met the human eye were before them constantly—disarm and despair on every side—they, with their worn yet firm hearted leader, faithful to their trust, still maintained order and courage. Singing eagerly

"BETTER BE DEAD!"

Agonizing Cry Wrung From a Despairing Heart.

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Dr. Greene's Nervura Certainly Does Cure — Will Surely Make You Well.

How often the weak, tired, worn-out man or woman, thoroughly exhausted in nerves and body, and with despairing voice, exclaims, "I had better be dead!" Their cry is wrung from bitter disappointment in not getting well, from sheer nerve weakness, and the growing fear that their case is hopeless.

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That was a marvelous cure of Mrs. Mary J. Plummer, of Grafton, N. H., who says:—



"I was taken down with the Grip and was sick in bed three weeks, and it left me in a bad condition. It caused a heart trouble and a kidney trouble, and oh! my head felt so bad, such a dull, cloudy feeling in it all the time. My appetite was very poor, and I did not sleep well. I was tired all the time. Well, I just dragged around and did my work, but would have dizzy spells, and such trembling in my limbs that I could scarcely stand or hold anything in my hands without dropping it. Finally I was taken down sick in bed, and was very sick. The doctor told my folks that I could not live, but I lingered along seven weeks. Then I got so I could sit up, but could not do any work, and my appetite was poor, and I could not sleep, and did not sleep any for ten days and nights. O, I got so nervous I could not lie still, and finally I told my husband to go to the drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. After taking the second dose I went to sleep, and slept four hours, the first I had slept for ten days. I continued the Nervura until I had taken six bottles, and have not lost a night's sleep since, can eat well, and have had no signs of the returns of the disease."

Despair no longer. Take Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and be cured. There is inspiration for the sick in the very name Nervura—new nerve, new force, new strength, new energy, new power.

You can also consult without charge with Dr. Greene, 148 State St., Chicago, Ill., the most successful physician in curing disease, personally or by letter.

The Hot Springs.

Picturesquely situated in the heart of the Black Hills of South Dakota, are renowned for the marvelous cures of rheumatism, neuralgia and other diseases, which have been effected by the use of its waters. First-class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of this month. For full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

I had the rheumatism so badly that I could not get my hand to my head. I tried the doctor's medicine without the least benefit. At last I thought of Chamberlain's Pain Balm; the first bottle relieved all of the pain, and on half of the second bottle effected a complete cure.—W. J. HOLLAND, Holland, Va. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is equally good for sprains, swellings and lameness, as well as burns, cuts and bruises. For sale at People's Drug Co's store, corner East Milwaukee street.

Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern Line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of Mr. J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will rendezvous at Chicago and leave there Tuesday morning, January 25, 1898, in a Special Vestibuled Train of Palace Sleeping Cars, which will be their home for the entire trip. All of the cities and almost every place of interest in this wonderful country will consume thirty days, but the tickets will be limited for return passage to nine months. A more interesting, beneficial or pleasant winter outing it would be difficult to conceive. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Ancient Scales Discovered.

A pair of scales much like those of the modern pharmacist is among the multitude of objects discovered this year in excavations about thirty miles from Thebes and recently exhibited in London. The scales are finely finished, have a beam about four and one-half inches long, with a ring at each end of the three cords, and the pans, about the size of an English penny, are slightly convex.



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Come and look them over, it will cost you nothing to examine the stock.

Business Suits at \$20.
Black Cutaway Suits at \$25.
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Fethers, Jeffris, Fifield & Mount, Att's.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—F. E. Fifield and J. S. Fifield, Plaintiffs, vs. Charles Davis, Defendant. Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an execution issued on the 29th day of December, 1897 from the Circuit Court of Rock County, Wisconsin, in the above entitled action, upon a judgment entered in said court on the 29th day of December, 1897 in favor of the above named plaintiffs and against the above named defendant, and to me directed, I have levied upon and shall offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder in front of the post office in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, on the 11th day of February, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, of that certain following described premises, to-wit: The west 1/4 of the northwest 1/4, and the southeast 1/4 of the northwest 1/4 of section 3, north of range 12 east, being in the town of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, excepting that part of the above described premises described as follows: the west forty acres of that part of the northwest 1/4 of section 11, town 3, north of range 12 east, lying westerly and southeasterly through the same, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of said quarter section; thence easterly along the south line of said quarter, fourteen chains and 35 1/2 links; thence north 20 degrees, ten minutes east, 15 chains and 25 1/2 links to center of highway; thence northwesterly along the center of the highway 24 chains, and 88 links to the west line of said quarter section; thence southerly along said west line to beginning, together with the privileges and appurtenances to the same, belonging, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the said execution with interest and costs of sale, and as may be sold separately and without material injury to the parties in interest. Dated Dec. 29, 1897.

THEO L. ACHESON, Sheriff of Rock County, Wis. FETHERS, JEFFRIS, FIFIELD & MOUNT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. thurdec30d7w

Relief in Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and over part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by Stearns and Baker 3 W. Milwaukee St., druggist, Janesville, Wis.

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All our calf lined Box Calf Shoes for men that sold at \$5.00, reduced to - \$4 00

Genuine Vici Kid, pointed toe, patent tip Shoe, for ladies, always sold for \$3.50, we reduce to - 2 50

Same Reduction throughout the stock.

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Our bicycle gifts were popular last year. We gave away five wheels!

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THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS

SAY PLUMBING LAW NO GOOD WISCONSIN NEWS IN BRIEF BEGIN ANTI-SALOON CAMPAIGN

Milwaukee Attorneys Doubt If It Will Hold Water.

The new law providing that all plumbers must get a license before practicing their trade may be absolutely worthless because no penalty is fixed for those who refuse to conform to the law. This defect was pointed out by Assistant District Attorney Bell of Milwaukee.

The law was passed by the last legislature and has never yet been finally tested. A few weeks ago the board of examiners of plumbers conducted examinations for all master and journeyman plumbers in Milwaukee in accordance with the provisions of the law. A large number of those who took the examination failed to pass and will, if the law proves effective, be required to seek other employment until they succeed in passing a subsequent examination. The plumbers who passed naturally want to force the others out of competition and have pledged themselves to report to the authorities any cases in which the unlicensed plumbers practice at the trade. It has been stated that the disgruntled plumbers were going to fight the law, but no definite action has as yet been taken in so doing.

"There have been no actual complaints made to this office that plumbers without licenses have continued to work," said Mr. Bell to a reporter, "but the attention of the department has been called to the law, and it has been asked to be ready to prosecute violators. But the wording of the bill is very peculiar and it is doubtful whether it will regulate the plumbing business as the framers desired. It provides that no person shall engage in plumbing without a license, and explains how the license is to be obtained and the board of examiners chosen, but no penalty is imposed upon those who refuse to obey the conditions. Section 7 of the law states that any person violating any provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and his license may be revoked by the examining board.

"The clause 'and his license shall be revoked' presupposes clearly that the penalty applies only to plumbers who have licenses. But nothing is said about those who decline to apply for licenses or those who having applied are refused licenses. I do not see how any action can be based against any unlicensed plumber."

CAPT. P. NORCROSS ATTENDS

Northwestern Electrical Association Holds a Meeting at Milwaukee.

The sixth annual winter meeting of the Northwestern Electrical association opened at Milwaukee yesterday to continue three days. In point of attendance this year's gathering eclipses all past conventions, about 150 electricians being present, more than 100 of whom are from abroad. Some of the best known electrical men in the United States are members of the association, and many of them are attending the meeting. The Sentinel says: "Pliny Norcross, the well known Janesville capitalist, and owner of the electric lighting plant in that city, is a prominent figure at the convention."

What Dr. A. E. Salter Says.

BUFFALO, N. Y.,—Gents:—From my personal knowledge, gained in observing the effect of your Shiloh's cure in cases of advanced consumption, I am prepared to say it is the most remarkable remedy that has ever been brought to my attention. It has certainly saved many from consumption. For sale by People's Drug Co.

Excursion Tickets to Madison

Via the Northwestern Line will be sold at reduced rates, within a 75-mile radius, January 24, limited to January 25, on account of Choral Union Concert. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

JANESVILLE NEWS IN BRIEF

FANCY California prunes, regular price 3 lbs. for 25 cents, only 5c per pound at Sanborn's.

No question about the stock of apples we have, being choice. Missouri or New York, the best in the city. Sanborn.

Stop that cough. Take warning. It may lead to consumption. A 25c bottle of Shiloh's cure may save your life. For sale by People's Drug Co.

PHOTOGRAPH mounting board makes excellent mounts for engravings or kodak prints. Two weights, one for albums, the other for individual mounts, at Gazette Job Rooms.

KARL's Clover Root Tea for constipation. It's the best and it after using it you don't say so return the package and get your money. For sale by People's Drug Co.

Mrs. J. P. THORNE had her thumb broken yesterday. Lois ran against her mother's hand while her arm was against a chair, the force of the collision being sufficient to snap the bone.

CORPORAL Thom is in the lead in the contest for the gold medal. The scores made last night were: Irish 42, Van Pool 40, Sisson 40, Milligan 30, Thom 38, Caniff 36. Corporal Thom has a total score of 120 with one more range to shoot. Private Van Pool is a close second with a score of 115.

A FARMER'S Institute was held at Montello.

Mrs. JAMES HURLEY, of Chilton, died aged 30.

St. JOSEPH's Polish church at Ashkosh will be dedicated Sunday.

Mrs. ROBERT CROSS, an early resident of Palmyra, died aged 78.

CARL SPRING, an old farmer of Plover, was killed in a runaway. He was sixty years of age.

MR. and Mrs. Joseph Lapine, who live near Fond du Lac, celebrated their golden wedding last evening.

A FARMER living near Rushford killed a large gray wolf, the first to be seen in the county for a long time.

AUGUST KALLGREN, a car repairer of Ashland, fell under a moving train at that place and was instantly killed.

The new military company at Racine is to have new uniforms, as the governor has given his consent to the purchase.

J. A. KIMBERLY of Appleton, has purchased the half interest in the Neenah Paper company owned by Frank Russell.

A six-year old son of Stephen Brieske, of La Crosse, was killed by being kicked on the head by a horse. The boy's skull was fractured.

GEORGE FURBUSH of Ashland, has made a deal with W. S. Gilbert of the same city for 3,000,000 feet of Norway pine which will be shipped to England.

THE West Superior council at a session held last evening adopted a resolution asking Governor Scofield to reappoint Frank Osterlander to the board of normal school regents.

THE property of the late Joseph Duffeck of Mayville, has been sold by the executor, and according to the terms of the will will be turned over to St. Mary's church of that city.

THE following weddings have taken place: Miss Hulda Kops to Charles Belmer, both of Bantoul; Miss Alma Bartash to Robert Kloedin, both of Mayville; Mrs. Anna Forken to Luke Owens, both of Chilton.

THE state board of university regents was in session at Madison until midnight. It was decided to commence the erection of the wings to the main hall in the spring. But one of the proposed wings will be constructed the coming summer.

C. H. OGDEN, of Sheboygan Falls, has received word that a man by his name who lived in Detroit ten years ago is now wanted at that place to claim a legacy of \$55,000. Mr. Ogden lived in Detroit at that time and he thinks that he is the man sought for.

DR. R. N. WINTZEL of Oakshosh, who was suspended from the office of city physician of that city by the common council, has brought action against the city to have the order of the council set aside. He claims that he was given no chance to answer charges brought against him.

THE Racine board of health cannot decide whether Miss Lawrence, the high school girl who was reported to have a well developed case of smallpox, is afflicted with that disease or only has a slight attack of chickenpox. In the meantime a Milwaukee physician has been asked by the board to go to Racine and investigate.

THE Wisconsin Land and Improvement company which purchased a large tract of state swamp land in Portage county, has effected a permanent organization at Stevens Point. George W. Boyce was elected president; James W. Wilson, secretary; and C. Hill, manager. It is expected to expend \$4,000 in draining swamp land by a system of canals.

A. C. PRESCOTT has put in a bill of \$250 against the city of Sheboygan for carrying the Raymond damage suit through the supreme court. This case was tried in the county court twelve years ago. Mr. Prescott's bill is but a small part of what the city will now be forced to pay as the costs of the suits and the \$5,000 damages awarded to the plaintiff are yet to be settled.

Gov. Bushnell in Ill Health.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 19.—Governor Bushnell is in ill health, and will leave at once for Old Point Comfort, where he will remain until sufficiently recovered to resume the duties of his office.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES:

Quotations On Grain And Produce are Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.20 to \$1.35 per sack.

WHEAT—Fair to best quality 35 @ 92c.

BUCKWHEAT—60c @ 65c @ 100.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c for 10 lbs. sack.

WHEAT—In request at 45 @ 46c per bu. u.s.

BARLEY—Ranges at 25c @ 35c according to quality.

CORN—Shelled \$7.00 per ton. Ear 6.00 @ \$6.50.

OATS—white, 20c @ 22c.

CLOVER SEED—\$2.50 @ \$2.85 per bushel.

TIMOTHY SEED—30c @ \$1.15 per bushel.

MEAL—80c per 100 lbs. \$12.00 per ton.

FEED—80c @ 70c per 100 lbs. \$12.00 @ 11c.

BEAN—80c per 100 lbs; \$11.00 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—80c per 100, \$12.00 per ton.

HAY—Timothy Per ton, \$6.50 @ \$7.00, other kinds \$5.00 @ \$6.00 per ton.

STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$4.50 per ton.

FORAGE—\$5 @ \$6.00 per bushel.

BEANS—75c @ \$1.00 per bushel.

BUCKWHEAT—15c @ 13c.

EGGS—Scarce, 16 @ 17c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys @ 10c; Chickens, 6 @ 7.

WOOL—17c @ 20c for washed; 15c @ 18c for unwashed.

HIDES—Green, 7c @ 8c; dry, 10c @ 12c.

FEATHERS—Range at 40c @ 80c each.

LARD—Spoon—Cattle @ 2.00 @ 2.50.

HOGS—\$3.10 @ \$3.40 per 100 lbs.

COMMON SENSE CURE.

Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Piles Permanently by Curing the Cause.

Remarkable Remedy Which Is Bringing Comfort to Thousands of Sufferers.

Probably half the people who see this article suffer from piles. It is one of the most common diseases and one of the most obstinate. People have it for years and just because it is not immediately fatal they neglect it. Carelessness causes no end of suffering. Carelessness about so simple a thing as piles has often caused death. Hemorrhages occur from no apparent cause and loss of blood causes death. Hemorrhages occur during surgical treatment, often causing death.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it—Pyramid Pile Cure.

It allays the inflammation immediately, heals the irritated surface and with continued treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, sound healthy condition. The cure is thorough and permanent.

Here are some voluntary and unsolicited testimonials we have lately received:

Mrs. M. C. Hinkley, 601 Mississippi St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: Have been a sufferer from the pain and annoyance of Piles for fifteen years, the Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Pills gave me immediate relief and in a short time a complete cure.

Druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is but 50 cents per package and is put up only by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich.

Strictly Accurate.

"Miss Cherub told me that you paid her such a charming compliment the other evening," said Mrs. Coddington to her husband, "something about her being pretty. The poor girl was so pleased. I don't see how you men can be so untruthful."

"I should think you'd know by this time that I'm never untruthful," said Mr. Coddington, reproachfully. "I said she was as pretty as she could be, and so she was."—Tit-Bits.

His Last Effort.

He found his hair was leaving him at the top of his head and took his barber to task about it.

"You sold me two bottles of stuff to make the hair grow—"

"It is very strange it won't grow again," said the barber; "I can't understand it."

"Look here," said the man, "I don't mind drinking another bottle, but this must be the last."—Tit-Bits.

Unsafe.

First Nurse—I'm afraid I can't come with you to-morrow.

Second Nurse—Why not?

"Well, I don't like to leave the baby with its mother."—Brooklyn Life.

Well Preserved.

Bell—Don't you think Betsy is a well-preserved woman?

Beulah—Yes, indeed; she looks just as ugly as she ever did.—Yonkers Statesman.

All on the Surface.

Mr. Todgers—Why do you think the Monsons are trying to make a bigger show than their circumstances warrant?

Mrs. Todgers—Mrs. Monson wears a sealskin sacque, but I've never heard her petticoats rustle yet.—Chicago News.

Beet Sugar Plant Projected.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The secretary of agriculture is informed that it is proposed to establish near Harrisburg, Pa., a big plant for the manufacture of beet sugar. The capital stock of \$1,000,000 has been subscribed by local investors and by capitalists in New York and Philadelphia, who regard the beet-sugar industry as one of the most promising investments offered at this time. The new factory will employ 200 operatives, and consume 400 tons of beets a day.

Anti-Scalping Bill Reported.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce has reported the anti-scalping bill. There are but two dissenting votes in the committee.

Well-Known Artist Dead.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 19.—Scott Leighton, the Boston artist, died at the McLean insane asylum at Waverly today. Leighton's fame rested on his talent in animal painting.

W. O. Jenkins, of Green Bay, announces that the deal which will make him editor of the Oakshosh Times has been closed. Jenkins formerly owned the Green Bay Advocate.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Masonic pin. Owner can have same by inquiring at this office.

LOST—A light red steer, horns partly off. Weight about 1,100 lbs. Finder get reward by notifying G. W. Yahn.

FOP SALE.

FOR SALE—Two chair barber shop doing good cash business. Fine corner location one door from Hotel. W. H. Wagner, Albany, Wis.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Suite of furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Steam heat, gas and wa'er. Inquire at 213 South Main street.

WANTED.

WANTED—By young man attending our school, place to work mornings, evenings, and Saturdays, for his board. Is thoroughly reliable and a willing worker. Valentine's School of Telegraphy, Janesville.

1500 Pairs Ladies' Shoes, Half Price.

... TRULSON & PETERSON'S OLD STAND.

Ladies' hand sewed Turns, vici kid, new and stylish, worth \$4.00, now \$2 50

Ladies' Vici Kid, new coin toe, worth \$3.50, now 2 00

Regular \$3.00 Ladies' Shoes, now 1 75

Regular \$2.50 Ladies' Shoes, now 1 50

Ladies' high cut button Overshoes, worth \$2.00, for 1 00

Men's Goods—Oil Grain Shoes, 75c to \$1.25, worth double; Men's Shoes, \$1 to \$2, worth \$2 to \$4; Men's \$3 3-buckle Overshoes, \$1.50; Men's Storm Overshoes worth \$1.50, for \$1. Hundreds of bargains for men too numerous to mention.

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Trulson & Peterson's Old Stand. JANESVILLE.

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People's Coal and Wood Yard. Phone 65.

January Cloak Business..

Is good--better than usual in this month, but whether it is because there's more money in circulation or that we are giving better values than ever before, we cannot tell. Certain it is that business in the cloak department reminds us of the busy times during early season. Of course there are many reasons why women are buying cloaks at this time, the most important being that the new and stylish coats which have been priced at \$9 to \$15 can be bought today a \$5.00, and coats which have been up to \$7.50 are now down to \$2.87. This applies to misses' jackets as well as to ladies' garments, whether jackets or capes.

It is well to have in mind that the line of new, stylish garments which we show at this time is larger and more complete than the average store shows at the beginning of a season. For large women we have plenty of good coats in 40, 42, 44 and 46 bust measures at both the above prices--\$2.87 and \$5.00.

Gaiter Leggings--For ladies, misses and children in six sizes, made of black jersey cloth, with buttons and straps. Prices 75c to \$1.35 according to size. No gaiter on the market to equal them for warmth.

Fleece Lined Hosiery--Have a 11 sizes, in two qualities for ladies--25c and 35c, and at the prices they are excellent value. For children, have a line, sizes 6 to 9 1/2, at 10c and 12 1/2c

All lines of Winter Goods are priced low.

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Cold Wave

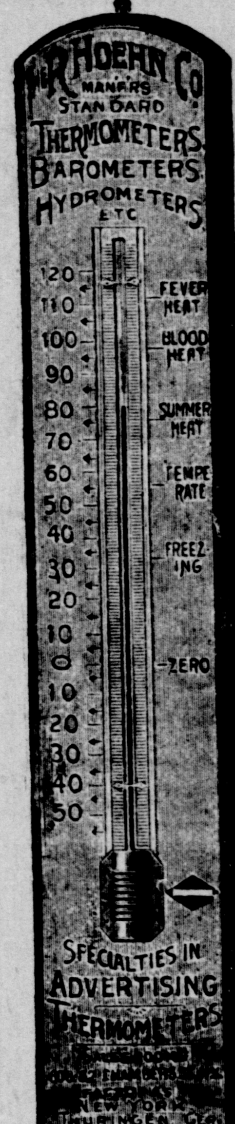
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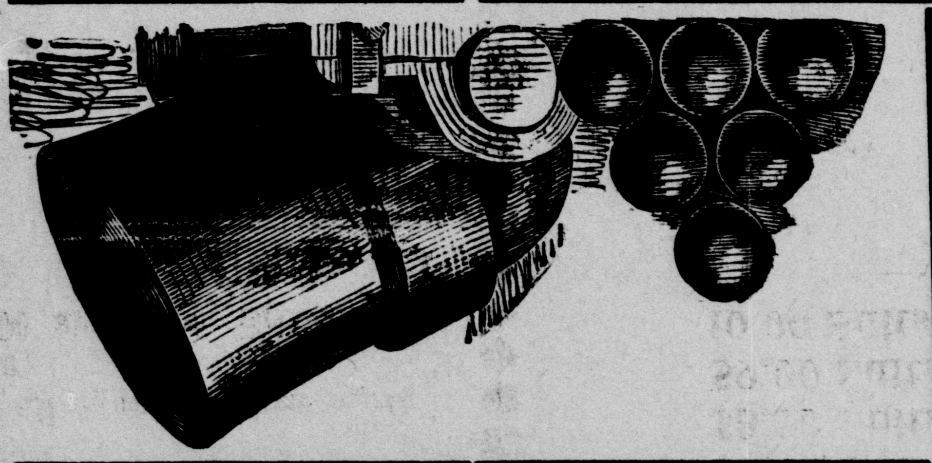
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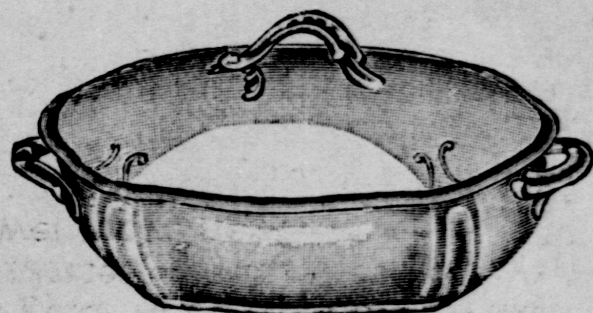
The Gazette want column brings good results.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION!



Prices Shattered Beyond Recognition.

LOWELL is the man who laid the fuse and applied the match at the LEADER stand. The vibration from the shock is being felt throughout the county. Economical buyers are carrying away the wreckage. High prices on all household needs knocked to smithereens.

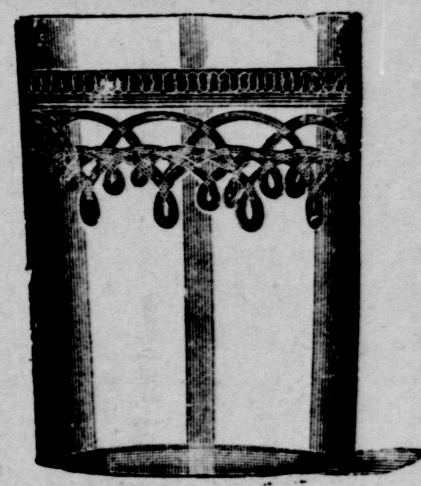


Join The Throng. Visit The Sale That Will Be Historic.

Handled Axe, 49c	Glass Oil Cans, 1 gallon, 19c	Glass Lamps, com- plete, 17c	Glass Pitchers, 4c	Screw Drivers, 6c	Children's heavy ribbed Underwear 7c up	Glass Water Pitch- ers, 9c
Novel, The Fatal Wager, 2c	Copper bottom Tea Kettle, 34c	Waste Paper Bas- kets, 13c	Kalsomine, per lb. very best, 3½c	All wool Childrens Underwear, 10c up	Gold Collar But- tons, 8c	Cuspidores, 4c
Story Books, All Over the World, 25 cts; Summer Out- ings, 25c	Clothes Wringers, \$1.35	Sink Cleaners, 3c	Razor Stropps, 11c	Men's Underwear, 35c	Range Tea Ket- tles, 15c	Wash Boilers, 36c
Granite Dish Pans 39c	Galvanized Iron Wash Tubs, 32c, 42c	Ironstone China Milk Pitchers, 4c	Umbrellas, 50c up	Doll Carriages, 35c	10 bars Kirk's best Laundry Soap, 25c	12-qt. Milk Pails, 13c
			Horse Blankets, 50c up	Fine Snow Shovel 14c		Hatchet Handles, 4c

This is a sample lot of bargains. The store---
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Goods for 21c.
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